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TAGS: PINS, PINR, DM

SUBJ: BERTIN BORNA SEEKING LEGAL REDRESS IN
DAHOMY FOR ALLEGATION MADE AGAINST HIM BY
DAHOMYAN GOVT.

REF: A. COTONOU A-11 B. COTONOU 103 C.DAKAR 566

1. UNDP RESREP BORTIN BORNA TOLD AMB
FEB 25 THAT MRGD WAS NOW TRYING TO BACK OUT OF
ACCUSATIONS THAT HE HELPED FINANCE ABORTED JAN 24
COUP. HE ONCE AGAIN CLAIMED NOT TO KNOW COUP LEADER,
CAPTAIN JANVIER ASSOGBA. MOREOVER, BORNA SAID
HE HAD ENGAGED LAWYER IN COTONOU TO SEEK LEGAL REDRESS
AND WOULD SETTLE FOR NO LESS THAN MRGD WITHDRAWAL OF
ALLEGATIONS.

2. COMMENT: MRGD ALLEGATIONS AGAINST BORNA SEEM NOT TO HAVE
DAMAGED HIS EFFECTIVENESS IN SENEGAL WHERE CURRENT
REGIME IN DAHOMEY IS NOT VIEWED WITH GREAT AFFECTION.
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